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HOLE, PRINTED WIRING BOARD, AND
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Sir:

Prior to initial examination, please amend the above-identified patent application
as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 6, delete "TECHNICAL FIELD" and insert therefor --FIELD OF

THE INVENTION--.